

**PRESS RELEASE** 

## A Dozen Wiley Rein Practices Recognized in "Best Law Firms" Rankings

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Twelve Wiley Rein practice areas have been recognized in the 2011-2012 "Best Law Firms" rankings, published annually by *U.S. News & World Report*. For the second consecutive year, Wiley Rein's preeminent Communications Practice is ranked in the top tier nationally. The list places the firm's Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law, and Insurance Law Practices in the top tier of groups in the Washington, DC region. Notably, Wiley Rein also is rated in the top tier of DC-area firms for its administrative and regulatory law capabilities.

U.S. News Media Group, which teamed with "Best Lawyers" to produce its 2011-2012 "Best Law Firms" rankings, commended the rated firms for demonstrating a "unique combination of excellence and breadth of expertise." The rated practice areas reflect the depth and scope of the legal, regulatory and public policy expertise that has made Wiley Rein a legal institution in the nation's capital.

*U.S. News* recognized Wiley Rein's capabilities as being among the best in the nation and in Washington, DC in:

- Communications Law
- Environmental Law
- FDA Law
- Insurance Law

A dozen Wiley Rein practice areas were ranked as among the best in Washington, DC:

Administrative / Regulatory Law

## **Practice Areas**

Class Actions and Complex Multi-Jurisdiction Litigation

Climate Change

Copyright

D&O and Financial Institution Liability

E&O for Lawyers, Accountants and Other Professionals

**Endangered Species** 

**Enforcement of Arbitration Clauses** 

**Environment & Product Regulation** 

Environmental Regulation, Litigation, and

Counseling

Extended Producer Responsibility and

Recycling

Federal Preemption

First Amendment/Commercial Speech

Food & Drug

General Liability

Hatch-Waxman Act Litigation

Hazardous Materials Transportation

Health Care

Insurance

Insurance Appellate

Intellectual Property

Issues and Appeals

Judicial Review of Agency Action

Litigation

Media

Patent

Pesticides and FIFRA

Policy Drafting and Product Development

Professional Liability Defense

Property Coverage

Rights-of-Way Litigation and Counseling

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- Appellate Practice
- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Communications Law
- Environmental Law
- FDA Law
- Franchise Law
- Health Care Law
- Insurance Law
- Litigation Bankruptcy
- Litigation Intellectual Property

These rankings were based on research that included the 3.9 million evaluations of 41,284 individual leading lawyers collected by Best Lawyers® in its most recent annual survey.

Technology Transactions
Telecom, Media & Technology
TMT Appellate
Tower Siting and Wireless Facilities Access
Trademark
Video Programming and Cable Franchising

Wireless

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